HEY, BARB? I'M REALLY NERVOUS ABOUT MEETING MY FIRST FAMILY.

DON'T SWEAT IT, RALPH. IT'S THEIR FIRST MEETING, SO JUST LISTEN TO THEIR STORY AND DON'T BE AFRAID TO TELL A LITTLE ABOUT YOURSELF, TOO.

LATER THAT DAY.

IN SCHOOL SPORTS, I WOULD ALWAYS SCORE POINTS OR TOUCHDOWNS GOING THE WRONG WAY, SO THE KIDS WOULD CALL ME "BACKWARDS BUCKY!"

I ALSO HAD A REALLY TOUGH TIME AS A YOUNGSTER.

WHHEW! I'M ALREADY FEELING BETTER ABOUT OUR SITUATION, HERB.

NO KIDDING!

ONCE, A KID NAMED SEYMORE ROACH RAN ME OVER WITH HIS BIKE WHEN I WAS JOGGING ON A TRAIL...

SO THE KIDS CALLED ME "ROACH KILL!"